

## Rainier Beach -- Phase 3 meeting -- October 27, 2011

### Priority Strategies

### Comments

### Sign ups

#### Station

- Connect to Beach Square: increase frequency of buses to Beach Square; relocate some bus layover to the station area

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- Increase desired street activities: evaluate options (including zoning) to stimulate more development in station area and along S. Henderson St.

- Develop public/private partnerships to support new business development & incubators for new business startups

Vital change to RB Oromo Community Center and Oromo Cultural Center

Oromo Community Center and Oromo Cultural Center

- Pursue programs & land acquisition to create affordable housing in the station area

- Activate public space at the light rail station with community uses
- Improve bicycling and walking: implement the Southeast Transportation Study, Pedestrian-, Bicycle-Master Plan recommendations

✓ - lockers

- Activate S Henderson St as vibrant and safe walking street

- Fund crime prevention and community policing to improve police community relations esp. at Rainier Ave S & S Henderson St

An idea worth working on - OCC

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- Build on Rainier Beach's positive image and diversity: develop gateways, public art, and beatification projects that reflect RB's cultural mix

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- Find ways for all projects & events to contribute to a healthy community & a safer neighborhood

Critical for neighborhood OCC

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- Support small minority and immigrant businesses: identify and tailor grants & programs; recruit new small businesses

Best way to bring business to the Community OCC

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- Support affordable housing: for low-income, senior, & disabled homeowners; as well as renters

Give weight to it - OCC

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#### Linkages

- Strengthen the different cultural and historical places in Rainier Beach where the diverse community gather

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HOAS

- Create a place (such as a multi-cultural center) as well as programs & events that bring diverse groups together as one community

HOAS/Tsegaye, Jesus R - trusted advocates, I & R Commission

- Improve use of parks & schools by increasing events, & improving access, circulation & safety

Need for more accountability to the community from school district/administration.

HOAS/Tsegaye, Will Depusey.

- Continue to build relationships with Seattle Public Schools

- Link key sites including parks, Lake Washington, schools, gathering places, shopping areas, a rail station

- Implement Rainier Beach Urban Farm & Wetland Project at Atlantic City Nursery to create an urban food farm that connects to schools, businesses and people

Gabriel Avila-Mooney/Full Circle

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Open views &amp; access to Lake Washington, especially @ Beer Sheva Park &amp; Atlantic City boat launch</li> </ul>		Dan Mitchell
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Find ways for all projects &amp; events to contribute to a healthy community &amp; a safer neighborhood</li> </ul>		Ron Angeles
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Activate Rainier Ave S &amp; S Henderson St as vibrant and safe walking streets</li> </ul>		SDOT
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Implement the Southeast Transportation Study, and the Bike, Pedestrian, and Transit</li> </ul>		SDOT, Carrie Dolwick - Transpo Choice Coalition
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Master Plans to improve transportation</li> </ul>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Implement Gateway to Rainier Valley at Rainier Beach plan to establish a "main street" for Rainier Beach</li> </ul>		SDOT, SEED
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Develop coordinated plans for public art and/or streetscapes (lighting, signage, wayfinding) that reflect Rainier Beach's cultural mix</li> </ul>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Empower community organizations to implement plan update recommendations</li> </ul>		

## Historic Business District

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Support small minority and immigrant businesses: identify and tailor grants &amp; programs; recruit new small businesses</li> </ul>		Marian Mumin, <b>Kim A.</b> , kla206@comcast.net, Sabah-Ali
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Retain and expand variety of ethnic food grocers, restaurants</li> </ul>	I like this one	Jesus R/Raul Mizanda, Ventura Herrera, Rebecca Saldana, Kevin Ahar, Stacey Jacobsen
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Increase availability of healthy foods: work with supermarkets, shops &amp; restaurants; consider a farmers market</li> </ul>		Public Health - Seattle King County, Gabriel Avila-Mooney, Natalie - SPU
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Create a walkable business district: implement the Gateway to Rainier Valley at Rainier Beach</li> </ul>		Pat Chemnick, Stacey Jacobsen, SEED, RBMA
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Complete walking network between schools, gathering places, shopping areas, etc.</li> </ul>		Marian Scott - mscott@seseattlefreedomnet.org
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Build on Rainier Beach's positive image and diversity: develop gateways, public art, and beatification projects that reflect RB's cultural mix</li> </ul>		Marian Scott, Christen Blackwell - cblackwell@seseattlefreedomnet.org
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Employ and mentor youth in local businesses: identify and tailor programs for businesses and youth</li> </ul>		Uncle Guy (business owner), Marian Scott
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Stage ongoing events such as festivals, events and performances in public spaces</li> </ul>		Atlantic Street Center, Carrie Dolwick, Uncle Guy, Christen Blackwell
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Improve use of parks &amp; public spaces by increasing events, &amp; improving access, circulation &amp; safety</li> </ul>		
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identify specific locations for more residential (mixed-use) development</li> </ul>		Carrie Dolwick, <b>Kevin Ahar</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Support affordable housing for low-income, senior &amp; disabled homeowners, and for renters</li> </ul>		<b>Kevin Ahar</b>

## Rose Street

• Support small minority and immigrant businesses: identify and tailor grants & programs; recruit new small businesses		
• Support daily needs: improve the mix of retail & services		
• Increase availability of healthy foods: work with supermarkets, shops & restaurants; consider a farmers market		Stacey Jacobsen
• Retain and expand variety of ethnic food grocers, restaurants		Stacey Jacobsen
• Employ and mentor youth in local businesses: identify and tailor programs for businesses and youth		
• Expand & improve access to teen, youth & intergenerational programs/activities		
• Support affordable housing: for low-income, senior, & disabled homeowners; as well as renters		
• Find ways for all projects & events to contribute to a healthy community & a safer neighborhood		RBMA
• Coordinate Neighborhood Plan efforts with ongoing community work such as Youth and Families Initiative		
• Create an urban food farm: use Parks Levy and Opportunity Funds to implement		Stacey Jacobsen
• Rainier Beach Urban Farm & Wetland Project at Atlantic City Nursery		
• Link key sites including Beer Sheva, Atlantic City Nursery & Pritchard Beach		RBMA
• Build on Rainier Beach's positive image and diversity: develop gateways, public art, and beatification projects that reflect RB's cultural mix		RBMA
• Stage ongoing events such as festivals, events and performances in public spaces		RBMA, SEED Arts
• Create places (e.g. Multi-cultural center), programs & events that bring diverse groups together		
• Complete walking network between schools, gathering places, shopping areas, etc.		
• Improve bicycling and walking: implement the Southeast Transportation Study recommendations		
• Support a community kitchen: for community gathering; food processing & production; small business development		
• Fund crime prevention and community policing to improve police-community relations	xxx most	

## Beach Square

• Support small minority and immigrant businesses: identify and tailor grants & programs; recruit new small businesses		
• Support daily needs: improve the mix of retail & services		
• Employ and mentor youth in local businesses: identify and tailor programs for businesses and youth		
• Create a walkable business district: implement the <i>Gateway to Rainier Valley at Rainier Beach</i>		
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Create an urban food farm: implement Rainier Beach Urban Farm &amp; Wetland Project at Atlantic City Nursery</li> </ul>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Improve Beer Sheva Park with tables &amp; benches, entry @ S Henderson St, swimming float</li> </ul>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Create places (e.g. Multi-cultural center), programs &amp; events that bring diverse groups together</li> </ul>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Create a dedicated space and programs for teens</li> </ul>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Activate public spaces with ongoing programming such as festivals, events, &amp; performances</li> </ul>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Improve use of parks &amp; schools by increasing events, &amp; improving access, circulation &amp; safety</li> </ul>		Teresa Bui
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Continue to build relationships with Seattle Public Schools</li> </ul>		
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Support affordable housing: for our low-income, senior, &amp; disabled homeowners; as well as renters</li> </ul>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Encourage Seattle Police to consider "hot spots" approach to crime prevention; improve communication between police &amp; community</li> </ul>		
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